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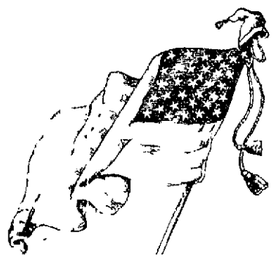

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129 and 135 North Water St.,

The Leading Clothiers and Gents' Furnishers in the City.

IN MEN'S, YOUTHS' AND BOYS'

SUITS & OVERCOATS

Our assortment is simply unparalleled—every style of manufacture can be found in our stock.

SUITS from $5.00 to $35.00; OVERCOATS from $3.00 to $10.00; CHILDREN'S AND BOYS' SUITS from $2.00 to $16.00.

HATS.

We are not only Retailers but Jobbers of Hats and enjoy the facilities for close buying that enables us to undersell any Hat house in the city.

FURNISHING GOODS.

We have the Largest and most Select Stock in the city, showing all the NEWEST DESIGNS and Novelties in Neckwear, Underwear, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Collars, Cuffs, etc.

MERCHANT TAILORS.

We lead them all in this line. Examine our stock of Piece Goods, consisting of SCOTCH SUITINGS, CLAY WORSTEDS, Montanac and Shetland Overcoatings.

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WM. YOUNG. CARL YOUNG.

YOUNG BROS.

HAVE OPENED THEIR

NEW MEAT MARKET.

North Side of Park,

And are prepared to furnish the very best

Fresh and Cured Meats,

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SPORTSMEN'S CLOTHING

CORDUROY MACKINTOSH

—AND—

CANVAS COATS,

Hats, Caps, Cartridge Bags, Gun Cases, Cartridge Belts and Game Bags,

ALSO, A GENERAL LINE OF

SPORTING GOODS

Agents for the PARKER BROS' Celebrated Shot Guns, Remington & Sons' Shotguns and Rifles,

Winchester Repeating Rifles

—AND—

ORIENTAL POWDER.

Try our New Brand of Oriental Wing Shot Powder

Gunsmithing a Specialty.

H. MUELLER & SONS,

138 Merchant Street.

Sept 10 d&w2m

Chicago Exposition

The Illinois Central R R will sell Excursion tickets to Chicago Tuesday and Wednesday of each week until the close of the Exposition at One Fare and a Third for the round trip. Tickets good to return up to and including Monday following day of sale.

8-4d&wtf D. F. HILDRETH, Ticket Ag't

THE Best Goods for the Lowest Money, at LINN & SCRUGGS

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

CHAS. LAUX, Proprietor,

South Side of the Old Square, Decatur.

HAVE YOU Tried BIG CAN Baking Powder?

THE DECATUR

Gas Light & Coke Co.

IS HEADQUARTERS FOR

COKE

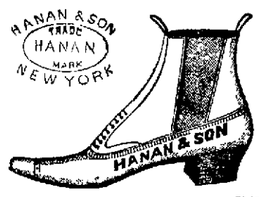
—AND—

TAR,

Coke Delivered to any part of the city on short notice.

GIVE IT A TRIAL.

R. J. STRATTON, Supt.



It is certain that "the Hanan" shoe will prove satisfactory to every gentleman who wants a perfect article. We are putting into the manufacture of these shoes, the results of 30 years' experience and study, of what will please, give comfort and wear faithfully. Try them. Every first class dealer has them.

HANAN & SON.

FOR SALE BY

POWERS & HAWORTH.

THE TURNBULL WAGON.

This Wagon is manufactured at Defiance, Ohio—right in the region where first class wagon timber is abundant, and where is no need of putting in second class stock.

It has some points of excellence which farmers and others using wagons should bear in mind. The rubber iron gives the best of satisfaction in making short turns.

It has a bevel shoulder spoke for making the strongest wheel.

It has the patent brake rod attachment.

Its axles are made of selected black hickory and are of extra large size.

End gates, rods, king bolts, pole caps and spoke bands are made of steel.

The wheels are oil boxed to prevent the tire from loosening.

It is the best wagon in the market for general purposes.

Sold only in Decatur by

A. KRAMER,

258 and 260 E. Main St., Decatur, Ills.

I also keep for sale all kinds of Carriages, Buggies, Phaetons, Spring Wagons and Road Carts of my own make, and warranted of the very best quality, to which I respectfully invite the attention of my old friends and the public generally.

Sept 21—d1m-w2m

FRENCH'S HOTEL

City Hall Square, NEW YORK.

Opposite City Hall and the Post Office,

This Hotel is one of the most complete in its appointments and furniture of ANY HOUSE in New York City, and is conducted on the

EUROPEAN PLAN.

Rooms only One Dollar per day. Half minute's walk from Brooklyn Bridge and Elevated R. R. All lines of Cars pass the door. Most convenient Hotel in New York for Merchants to stop at. Dining Rooms, Cafes and Lunch Counter replete with all the luxuries at moderate prices. july29 d&wlyr

SPECIAL sale at Cheap Charley's. Call before they are all gone. d&w

The Daily Republican.

HAMSHER & MOSSER, - PUBLISHERS,

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
JOHN R. TANNER, of Clay county.
Supt. of Public Instruction,
RICHARD EDWARDS, of Bureau co.

For Congress—14th District,
J. H. ROWELL, of McLean county.

County Judge—ANDREW H. MILLS.
County Clerk—GEORGE P. HARDY.
Sheriff—JOHN H. MAUZY.
Co. Treasurer—GEORGE R. STEELE.
Co. Superintendent—THOMAS L. EVANS
State Senator—W. C. JOHNS.
Representative—WILLIAM GRASON.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES LAUX as a candidate county treasurer

I OFFER myself as a candidate for the office of County Judge at the ensuing election, and bespeak the favor of my fellow citizens. My candidacy is subject to the action of the Democratic county convention.

WM. E. NELSON

WE are authorized to announce J. N. DONAHEY as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the action of the Democratic county convention.

THE Danville *Commercial* has this complimentary reference to Judge Smith.

Judge C B Smith lately presided at a seven weeks' term of court in Cook county and almost cleared the docket. He received the approval of the people there for the rigidity and ability with which he dispatched the business. When Judge Scott's present term on the supreme bench expires, he is expected to retire, on account of his advanced age, and Judge Smith's friends in every part of the district are urging him to be a candidate for the supreme judgeship. If he consents to the use of his name in this connection, there is no doubt that he will be elected. The great legal knowledge and ripe judicial experience which he will carry to the supreme court, will enable him to at once become a leading member and a decided honor to that distinguished tribunal.

CHICAGO *News*: John Baker, the ancient enemy of Morrison, who has once again taken up the contest in the Eighteenth Congressional District, seems to have been marvelously rejuvenated by his seven years in Venezuela. In a speech last Friday evening in Belleville he closed in this style: "Finally, fellow citizens, I will only add that the main thing that I have heard raised in opposition is that your uncle is a fossil! An antiquity from the past, an ideologist, and withal a foxy insinuation that he is superannuated from extreme old age! To all of which I will only say that I throw down tonight my loyal gage, and pledge myself to make it good, that my friends may put forward their youngest and most valiant champion, and I will sleep less and rise earlier, travel further on railways and ride more miles over corduroy roads, hold more meetings and bigger ones, speak louder and with more sense, make more converts, win the victory, and still be in good fighting order when the young gentleman is in quarantine for repairs.

CIVILITY AT THE HUB.

Polite Answers Scarce in Boston Town. A Lofty People.

(Special Correspondence.)

BOSTON, Oct 11.—Commercially they are a very "glorious" people here in Boston. A civil answer from clerk or salesman is not always on hand. Something seems to ail them. They do not seem to feel happy in their minds or stomachs—or somewhere. Particularly is this the case about the markets, about Faneuil hall, the "cradle of American liberty"—so far as America is at liberty. Particularly when you ask the dispenser of slain meat for any quantity under ten and sometimes three pounds. "Don't make anything under three pounds at this stall!" comes from the mouth of the unhappy man in charge. It takes you right off your feet. You feel as if you had done something to disgrace the cradle of liberty in trying to buy such a contemptable amount.

I made the other day a very small purchase of a very lofty minded young man in one of the mighty dry goods, wet goods and all other goods bazaars here. What immense stores these are! They keep everything almost—except good manners. The young man had such a lofty way with him, such a disdainful, far away air, methought, he would never hear me when I piped to him deferentially my feeble little request. He was rolling up ribbons, and after I had spoken he kept on rolling up and rolling up and never so much as an eye cast he on me, or by any other facial or physical sign did he acknowledge my presence. I had many doubts as I stood there whether he had heard me—even whether I was visible to him, in other words whether I was a tangible entity to him subjectively," as they say at Concord. But he had heard me—events proved it. After many deliberate minutes he pierced me through and through with a look accompanying a thought of severe contempt, and when he had made me feel small enough before him he attended to my little want with a mental snift at me. I went out wondering why it was that such great men should be in such small places.

EBBON OLIVER.

Eureka Springs.

The "Frisco Line" Through Pullman Palace Sleepers are run daily between St. Louis and Eureka Springs, Arkansas, without change.

The completion and opening of the elegant new hotel, The Crescent, at Eureka Springs, has necessitated the establishment of a through line of Pullman Sleeping Cars daily, between St Louis and Eureka Springs.

This famous health and pleasure resort has no equal in the western country. Only fifteen hours ride from St. Louis and rates cheaper than to any other great resort.

For health or pleasure you can not do better than to visit Eureka Springs, Ark.

For full particulars, with maps, time tables, illustrated pamphlets, etc., of these springs, call upon your nearest railroad agent, or at this office, or address George Lower, traveling land agent, 252 North Water street, Decatur, Ill. oct9-dtf

Cheap Excursion to Chicago.

The Illinois Central Railroad will run a special excursion train to Chicago, leaving Decatur October 12th at 8 05 a. m., arriving in Chicago at 5 p. m. Tickets good returning up to and including October 24th. Fare only $3 50 for the round trip.

C. F. HILDRETH, Ticket Agent.

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GENT'S fine imported Merino hose, 25c up to 50c a pair, at B. Stine's.

ORDER Hard Coal, Decatur Coal and Wood at Cole's drug store. sep21-d1m

GAUZE underwear at B. Stines. 14dtf

REASONS.

There are forty reasons why men dress well, some of them decidedly curious should they be probed.

Expediency of odd sorts, serves to accomplish certain ends and the like.

Most men, we trust, rise to the higher plane of neatness and good taste. A well bred man pleases himself and enjoys a satisfaction in knowing he attracts no attention by too little dress or too much. In our very full supply of NEW FALL BUSINESS SUITS, DRESS SUITS, FALL OVERCOATS, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S SUITS, you will find the happy medium, that every gentleman of good taste and every mother of refinement, who wishes to see her boys well dressed, enjoys.

In answer to the enquiry so often asked, WHERE CAN I DO THE BEST? we would say, and prove it if necessary, that every dollar's worth of goods that is delivered to us, after being examined and found correct, is paid for, SPOT CASH. This, and a twenty years' experience in our business, knowing how to buy, where to buy, offsets any argument that has been and may be made by any of our competitors as to their offering extraordinary bargains without any good reason on their part as to their superior ability, financially or otherwise, to procure them.

The Reliable Clothier and Gents' Furnisher,

B. STINE.

HANDKERCHIEF SALE

—AT—

BRADLEY BROS.' New York Store.

ONE HUNDRED DOZEN

LADIES'

Pure Linen Handkerchiefs!

AT 15 CENTS EACH.

☞ Every Handkerchief in this Lot is well worth 25 cents.

BRADLEY BROTHERS' New York Store.

TWO CASES

—OF—

RED UNDERWEAR

At a Sacrifice.

—AT—

CHEAP CHARLEY'S

Call Before They are All Gone.

A Card.

We wish to inform our many friends and patrons that the parties scouring the country in search of Feathers to renovate, representing themselves as Cox & Co., have no connection with us whatever. They are strangers; they may be here today and somewhere else to-morrow. We have been established here in the Mattress and Feather business for nearly two years, and we are prepared to do first-class work both in Renovating Feathers and Mattresses. All work promptly attended to. Very Resp'y,

J. S. COX & CO.,
Telephone 153. 553 N. Broadway.
sept13-d&w1mo

Stoves Very Cheap.

We have a lot of Hard and Soft Coal Heaters as good as new, which we are offering very cheap at

o5-d&w1mo BACHMAN BROS

HARD COAL, all sizes, on Water street; also Wood and Decatur Coal. Try us. Geo W. Ehrhart & Co. sept21-d1m

WE are prepared to do all kinds of repairing in the machinery line.

may15-dtf H. MUELLER & SONS.

ALL parties doing heavy teaming should call at Spencer, Lehman & Co's and examine the celebrated Peter Shutter Wagon before buying. 21-dtf

To the Public.

Having purchased the Globe Restaurant at 721 E. Cerro Gordo street, I will make it my business to see that all my customers are provided with the best that the market affords, dished up by first class cooks, at 25 cents per meal. Meals at all hours.

Respectfully,
WM. M. PEARCE.
Sept. 22, 1886. sept22-dtf

ANY one wanting a first-class pump should call on Spencer Lehman & Co., corner of Wood and South Main streets. Feb 17-dtf

IF you have any hose to be repaired, take it to H. Mueller & Sons. m15-dtf

BUSHEE & HUTCHIN have just received another invoice of Ladies' Strap Slippers. They are very popular. atf

SPALDING league balls for $1.00. at H Mueller & Sons, 138 Merchant street. sept10-d1m

ORDER Hard Coal, Decatur Coal, and Wood at Cole's drug store. sept21-d1m

TELEPHONE No. 100 for D. A. Moffit's Pure Crystal Ice. All orders promptly filled. April 15-dtf

THE growing demand for Boys' Suits with Knee Pants, for boys ranging from 10 years to 13 years, has induced B. Stine to supply the want of mothers, who have been unable to get them heretofore. may14-dtf

PARTIES wanting pure crystal ice, delivered promptly at their doors, should give their orders to D. A. Moffit. His telephone is 100. Prompt attention to business. Apr15-dtf

W. W. SHOCKEY, the contracting carpenter, is ready for business and will make figures on application. He will also put in patent window screens when desired, and guarantees satisfaction. mar15-dtf

ICE—I am now delivering ice to all parts of the city. Leave orders at Joe Michl's cigar store, or telephone 176.

apr15-dtf T. L. ANTRIM.

BUSHEE & HUTCHIN for School Shoes

ORDER Hard Coal, Decatur Coal and Wood at Cole's drug store. sep21-d1m

New Carpets.

NEW CARPETS, of the very latest productions in Brussels, Velvets and Ingrains, just received at

LINN & SCRUGGS.

RED underwear at a sacrifice at Cheap Charley's d&w

MASTER IN CHANCERY'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
Macon County,

In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancery. To June Term A. D. 1886.

John K Warren vs Angeline Duer et al—Foreclosure. No 12,574.

Public notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of a decree entered at the June Term, A. D. 1886, by the said court, in the above entitled cause, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery of said Macon county, Illinois, will, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, on

Saturday, the 23d day of October, A. D. 1886,

at the west door of the court house, in said Macon county, sell, at public vendue, to the highest and best bidder the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Macon, state of Illinois, to-wit: Lot ten (10), in block three (3) of Plant & Tuttle's Addition to the Town now City of Decatur, Ill.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash. Said lot is sold subject to redemption.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 30th day of September A. D. 1886.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery of Macon county Ill.
W. C. Johns, Complainant's Solicitor.
sept30 d4w

$1.45 PER 100

for the Best Straw

WRAPPING PAPER.

—ALSO—

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Sold at Very Low Prices.

Send your orders to

M. J. COHEN & CO.,

621 N. Main St., Decatur, Ill.

Telephone 21. Rag Warehouse

Also paying highest market price for Scrap Iron, Rags, Rubbers, Metals of all kinds. Mail orders receive prompt attention.

Sept 20 d&w3m

GET A HOME.

THE SECOND SERIES OF THE

LOAN AND HOMESTEAD ASSOCIATION,

of Decatur, Ill., is now open to subscribers.

Monthly installments of 50 cents and upwards will draw interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum; such sums interest subject to withdraw at at pleasure of the holder, under the rules and regulations of the society.

Loans made to stockholders monthly.

OFFICE—At No. 145 N. Water street, over New York Store. JOHN T BARNET, Pres't.

B McGORRAY, Secretary sept16-d2m

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER'S SALE

STATE OF ILLINOIS }
MACON COUNTY } ss.

In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancery.

The Board of School Trustees of Township Sixteen, Range Two East of 3d P. M. vs. Samuel Corbett and Douglas Corbett—Foreclosure. No 11,456.

Public notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of a decree entered at the May Term, A. D. 1886, by the said Court, in the above entitled cause, I, R McMillan, Special Commissioner, will, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, on

Tuesday, the 26th day of October, A. D. 1886,

at the west door of the Court House, in said Macon county, sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Macon, state of Illinois, to wit: The north half of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter, and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter, all in section No thirty-six in Township Sixteen, north range two east of the 3d P M.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash. Said land is sold subject to redemption.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 4th day of October, A. D. 1886.

R. McMILLAN,
Special Commissioner.

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The Daily Republican.

D. R. HAMSHER. J. B. MOSSER.

HAMSHER & MOSSER, Proprietors

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

TUESDAY EVE., OCT. 12, 1886.

REGISTER to-day.

We desire only to state the fact that Mr. Laux never gave us either a dollar or the promise of a dollar for whatever has been done by this paper in his behalf.—*Herald.*

How unkind in the *Herald* to blame it on the other fellows.

WHEN the *Herald* gets ready, some time between now and the election, it will give the world the benefit of its ripe judgment as to the "fitness and character" of the various candidates for the legislature in this district. Meantime the seven or eight thousand voters of the district are respectfully requested to hold their respective breaths and wait for the period to come when they may be enlightened. Now, remember that there is no suggestion of money in this.

ON the contest in this legislative district the *Herald* man has some very positive convictions and he will not hesitate to declare the reasons for the faith which is in him as soon as he has had opportunity to look into matters thoroughly.—*Herald.*

So we may conclude that although the *Herald* man has made up his mind as to the relative "fitness and character" of the several candidates, the matter is still not so irrevocably fixed in his mind but that he might be induced, by *reasonable considerations*, to reconstruct his opinions. Take your time, neighbor; there is no need to be in a hurry.

THE *Herald* should be a little more explicit concerning the "authority" it quotes to prove Maj. Steele's unpopularity. It makes a sort of half-fare correction of the charge this morning, and gives the names of four gentlemen as authority for the "correction," Why don't it give the name of its alleged "authority" for making the charge in the first place? If it did this the motive for trying to establish the "fitness and character" of Mr. Laux might be made more apparent.

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Of course not. When the *Herald* first deserted Steele (whom it had lauded to the skies) and took up the cause of Laux it was as a "mere matter of news." Then it dropped that end of the argument and took shelter behind the superior "fitness and character" of the Democratic candidate, and now it seems to lose sight of all these causes and is only anxious to have the public believe that it is doing what it can for Charlie purely as a matter of love, for which that gentleman has not paid nor promised to pay a dollar. Why this nervousness on the money question? Who ever said that Laux had bought its support? It is a reflection upon the intelligence of any man of so much "fitness and character" as he to intimate that he would either pay or promise to pay a whole dollar for anything that paper might say in his behalf.

A Drama of Devotion.

The ever-popular drama, "The Lights o' London," will be given at the opera house on Friday evening, October 15th. This drama is without doubt the strongest and most realistic picture of the passions that sway human souls in the everyday walks of life that has been presented to the public for many years. No further proof of this fact is needed than the immense patronage it has received, and will undoubtedly continue to receive. Its author, Geo. R. Sims, is the Charles Dickens of dramatic literature. He possesses in a large degree the faculty of touching men's hearts and awakening their sympathy through a channel of homely pathos. In no other of his productions has this gifted author so illustrated his ability as in the play to be presented here next Friday. In the "Lights o' London" all phases of human character are represented, but the love of a father is perhaps shown in the most varied colors.

The Legal Rights of Labor.

A letter has been written by ex-Governor Samuel J. Kirkwood, on the subject of the canvass in the Second Congressional District of Iowa. He is supported for Congress by the straight cut Republicans in opposition to Judge Hays, the Democratic candidate, and T. J. O'Meara, the independent labor candidate, who has a partial Republican indorsement. The venerable Republican statesman, who was eminently the War Governor of Iowa, and afterward United States Senator, says:

Republicanism is in my judgment not a mere temporary thing, but is to stand so long as our system of government shall stand, and in my judgment they will go down together, if go down they must. Republican rule stands for equal and exact justice to all men, for "the equality of all men before the law," for argument, discussion, open public discussion and the ballot as opposed to force, violence, rioting, murder and rebellion, and so believing I stand for Republicanism. *The Republican party has done more during the thirty years of its existence for labor and the laboring man than any other political organization here or elsewhere has done in a century.*

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BY TELEGRAPH

THE FISHERIES.

Senator Frye, of the Committee on Foreign Relations, Expresses Himself.

An American Vessel Boarded and Her Flag Hauled Down by the Commander of a Canadian Cruiser.

An Alleged Illegal Seizure of a Mexican by American Officials—A Mate for Cutting.

PORTLAND, Me., Oct., Oct. 11.—Senator Frye, of the committee on foreign relations of the United States Senate, which has been investigating the difficulties with Canada, was interviewed yesterday. The committee has just completed its work, and while the Senator could not make public the report, he said that the testimony had been taken at Gloucester, Boston, Provincetown and Portland, and it indicated that there was no necessity at all for our fishing vessels to enter ports of Canada for any purpose except those provided in the treaty of 1818, viz.: For shelter, wood, water and repairs. The Canadians refuse our fishermen absolutely and unqualifiedly all commercial rights whatever, and refuse to recognize as valid our customs permits to "touch and trade." Both fishermen and owners agree with great unanimity that they require absolutely nothing of Canada other than the treaty rights of 1818. They agree that the privilege of fishing within the three-mile limit is absolutely worthless, and has been for fifteen years. Finally the remedy for expected troubles is a higher duty on salt fish and also a duty for fresh fish. By modern freezing processes fish can be kept as long as they can by curing in other ways or smoking or salting them. They can be sent from Canada all over the United States in refrigerating cars and landed as fresh fish and thus escape all duty under the present construction of the laws.

"My opinion," said Senator Frye, "is that the Administration has sufficient power in its hands to stop these outrages on the part of Canada, and there is no reason why the power should not be exercised. Canadian fishing vessels enjoy all the rights in our ports which our own vessels do, while our vessels are practically deprived of them all in their ports. I think that if Canada were once satisfied that her inflections upon our fishermen would not result in a reciprocity treaty or free fish, the outrages would immediately cease, because, as a matter of fact, their own people are suffering much more than ours from this rigid exclusion. They have been accustomed to rely very much on our vessels for a market for their bait and their herring. This deprivation to them is a very serious matter. Canada desires our market, the best in the world, for all her farm products, her wheat, oats, potatoes, hay, starch, horses, cattle, sheep, etc., and also the products of the sea. For these things her market to us is utterly valueless, ours to her is almost a necessity.

"Great Britain might agree that we have an open market in Canada for our agricultural implements, because we sell them to Canada now, and, there being no competition on the most of them, it might be valuable for us to sell them all the products of our manufacture, but Great Britain would never consent that the Canadian markets be free to these products while her products pay duty. I would increase the duty on salt fish and place a duty on fresh. Their duties on fish are lighter now than ours, and extend to fresh as well as salt. There is not a market to-day to which we export fish in which we are not met with a duty. Besides that, I know of no country in the world which does not pay its fishermen large bounties except ours. We did the same up to 1867, when our laws providing for bounties were repealed. Our fishermen did not ask for any restoration, but as they are the poorest paid, the hardest working and the most exposed men in the country to-day they do think that they are entitled to the protection given to other industries. The testimony seemed to indicate very clearly that two-thirds of the fishermen are American citizens, the best sailors in the world, and any one can see the absolute necessity to the Republic that the industry should be continued, so that in time of war we can find sailors for our navy."

An American Vessel Lowers Her Flag to a Canadian Cruiser.

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 12.—The most serious event in international affairs since the abrogation of the Washington treaty occurred at Shelburne yesterday when Captain Quigley hauled down the United States flag from the American vessel Marion Grimes. At midnight Thursday the Gloucester schooner ran into the entrance of Shelburne harbor to escape the fury of a heavy southeast gale. The storm moderating at daylight, Captain Landry hove anchor and was about to proceed on his voyage when he was boarded and put under seizure by the cruiser Terror for not reporting at the customs. Captain Landry's protests that the custom-house was eight miles distant; that it had been closed eight hours before he anchored, and would not be open for four hours after he sailed, and that he had had no communication with the shore were of no avail, and he was fined $400. Consul-General Phelan wired the Minister of Customs the trivial nature of the alleged offense, and asked for a reduction of the fine. This was refused, but pending the instructions of the Gloucester owners regarding the payment of the fine, the Marion Grimes was allowed to ride at anchor under the bows of the cruiser.

Yesterday morning Quigley observed the American flag flying from the main mast of the Grimes, upon which had been placed the Queen's broad arrow. Quigley immediately sent to inquire if the Yankee skipper had been released. On receiving a negative reply he ordered the American skipper to haul down the United States flag, as the vessel was in the custody of British officials for a breach of British law. Captain Landry accordingly hauled down his flag. He then went ashore, conversed with his friends, saw the degradation to which he had been subjected and immediately returned to his vessel, and was in the act of hoisting the stars and stripes when the Canadian officer once more hailed him and forbade him hoisting his flag. Landry ignored his protest, and hauled the flag to the masthead. This greatly enraged Quigley, who immediately boarded the Grimes with an armed guard, and after vigorously remonstrating with captain Landry, lowered the stars and stripes from the masthead, unrove the flag halyards of the schooner and went ashore. Consul-General Phelan regards the action of Captain Quigley as the most high-handed outrage yet perpetrated.

Alleged Outrage Perpetrated on a Mexican by American Officers.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Oct., 12.—Juan Angel, alias Coy, the alleged leader of the party who killed the sheriff of Karnes County, and other parties in the recent Dallyville riot, was recently arrested in New Laredo under a requisition by Governor Ireland. He was turned over to Captain Geo. H. Schmidt, of the State Rangers, who, with Sheriff Gonzales of Laredo, brought him to the city Sunday. Sheriff Reed of Karnes County left with Coy this morning. "*El Matachira*, a Spanish paper published at Laredo, Tex., raises a big howl over the arrest, and publishes the following:

On Wednesday the city marshal of New Laredo, Pedro Morales, went to the house where Coy was stopping and told Coy that if he would appear at midnight at the police station he would appoint him on the police force. Coy appeared and was placed in a cell in solitary confinement and kept from seeing his lawyer or making application for habeas corpus. On the following night, an hour after midnight, he was taken from jail by the jailors, and officers carried him to the ferry. On the way to the ferry when Coy wanted to ask for habeas corpus he was gagged. The two officers who came from the United States after him carrying a bag with $80 and when they returned the bag was empty. This is an infamous case, demanding the immediate action of the government. Coy, who was taken to San Antonio, should be released at once. It makes no difference whether he is a criminal or not."

The same paper alleges that the arrest is a good ground for Mexico to declare war against the United States. The officers who brought Coy here last night say the arrest was effected in a lawful manner on extradition papers.

THE MASCOTTE HORROR.

Bodies of the Victims Coming to the Surface—Mat Hughes and Captain Ebaugh.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., Oct. 12.—The bodies of Mrs. Wm. H. Wheeler, First Engineer Wm. O'Brien and a colored roustabout were brought in yesterday. Acting Coroner Faur held an inquest with the usual verdict. Mat Hughes, the brave farmer of Bennett's Landing, came down with the bodies. Your correspondent hunted him up, and after considerable persuasion obtained the story of his rescuing the passengers of the Mascotte. Mat, as he is familiarly called, was a resident of Cape Girardeau County until five years ago, when he moved over to Bennett's Landing. He is a plain man in speech, modest in demeanor and has a heart much larger than Captain Ebaugh's. He said:

"I was at dinner at my home at Bennett's Landing on the fifth instant and saw the steamers Mascotte and Eagle passing up. They were between a quarter and a half mile apart. My wife said to me, 'I believe that the Eagle is trying to overtake the Mascotte.' Just then I heard the noise of the explosion, and exclaimed to my wife, 'The Mascotte is lost and I am going to her.' She told me not to go, that I might get burned or hurt, but I immediately ran where my skiff was tied, some three hundred yards, and started for the boat, a mile and a quarter distant. When I reached within, one hundred yards of the Mascotte the heat was so intense I could not approach her. I determined to try and reach her bow, which I finally did. I found the stage was flat in the water, but was held to the burning wreck by wire cables.

"I took off on the first trip five persons and landed them on the shore above Hanging Dog. Jack Howard knew me and called me to save him. He is a paralytic, and has been living at the poorhouse in Cape County. I made a second trip and brought off two men and one lady. Mrs. Louis Selmers, and landed them on shore. I then put back and got one lady and two men, names unknown to me. I went back again, but I could be of no service to any one. I saw a young lady with a little child sink about forty feet from me. I could not reach them in time. The child had on red hose, and the young lady had on a life-preserver, but it was on wrong.

"I saw the derrick and chimneys fall on the stage and they knocked off a number of people. The captain of the Eagle could have saved a number of people. If he had done his duty by sending out his small boats. This I know from the relative position of the boats. I don't know how many, can't say, perhaps nine or ten that I got ashore, and had to run three hundred yards to my skiff, and then row a mile and a quarter to the Mascotte, crossing the river below the Eagle. Ebaugh might have done as much. He turned his boat out and stood away from the wreck."

A Funny Doctor and His Little Bell.

MACON, Ga., Oct. 12.—Dr. J. H. Bellamy, of Milledgeville was arrested at Eatonton yesterday morning charged with disturbing public worship at the latter place Sunday night. When he attended services at the Methodist church Dr. Bellamy wore a chestnut bell and could not resist the temptation to ring the gong whenever the minister gave expression to a familiar phrase during his sermon or prayers, and whenever he gave out a familar hymn the doctor used his little chestnut protector like a triangle. Yesterday morning he furnished bond for his appearance at the next session of the county court. While the chestnut bell is still something of a novelty in Eatonton, its introduction in Dr. Bellamy's manner will cost a heavy fine and possibly a few days in jail in addition.

A Row at a Rehersal.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Fraulein Gross, one of the members of the Thalia Theater Company, appeared on the stage yesterday to assist in the rehearsal of "Nanon." When she discovered that she had been assigned to the role of the page, she became very indignant and refused to accept it. Manager Amberg blandly told her that she must sing the part and the prima donna responded by throwing the music at his feet. Her husband, Emil Marx, who was present, advanced toward Mr. Amberg in a threatening way, and, when the stage hands interfered, a general scuffle ensued. Finally Mr. Marx and his wife were taken to the Elizabeth station by a policeman. Mr. Amberg declined to prosecute them and they were released.

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The Illinois Central Railroad will run a very low rate excursion to Chicago, leaving Decatur at 8:05 a. m. October 12th. Fare for the round trip only $3.50. A grand time to visit the Exposition and other attractions in and near the city. Tickets good to return until October 24th.

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DEAL at Neidermeyer's grocery store.

CONCERT at the opera house Tuesday, Oct. 12th, for the benefit of the baptist church. Everybody should attend. 6-dtd

Last Grand Excursion to Iowa.

On Tuesday, October 19, the Illinois Central railroad will run its last Low Rate Excursion to Iowa points, at following rates: To Storm Lake and Cherokee, $11.00; to Le Mars, $12.00; Tickets good returning, Thirty Days from date of sale. Stop-over privileges granted west of Iowa Falls. Train leaves Decatur at 7:30 a. m.

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FOREIGN GOSSIP.

An Amusing Letter, Descriptive of English People and Their Peculiarities.

The Queen's Taste for Music—The Ex-Khedive Sued for Debt—A Feeling Petition—Boulanger's Design.

France and England at Constantinople—To Deepen the Seine—Poignant Pictures—Electric Railway.

England.

AN AMUSING LETTER.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—The *Daily News* on Friday published the translation of a long and amusing letter sent home by one of the natives of Ceylon, who has been attached to the Colonial Exhibition here. The following extracts will, no doubt, be quite as thoroughly appreciated in America as they are in London: "The Englishman here is a very common individual, and when he comes to Ceylon he is a great man; but a black man is a great man in England." After describing the Crystal Palace he says: "I hear that people go there to make love. I can't believe it, but I saw one or two ladies kissing gentlemen. The women of England are very bad; many of them don't like their husbands because the latter drink too much and beat them. Then they run away with other men. One case was heard a few days ago, where the people were of high caste. There are several theaters. Ten minutes will take you to one. The English people are very fond of going out in the night, and it is owing to this that there are so many theaters. It is said some are good and some bad. In the good ones the charges are high, but to the low ones one can go for one shilling. For everything coal is used; firewood cannot be got, and charcoal, therefore, is very scarce and dear. Owing to this the people don't clean their teeth. You must see the teeth of the low class of English women; they are quite green. You will be surprised to hear that brandy and whisky cannot be got everywhere here. Everybody drinks beer, and it is strong beer. There are no liquor shops like the Pettah, on Main street, with a back door to let people in. The ginshop is called a public house, and each has a name on the door. The horse-keepers only drink gin. Saturday is a very bad day here. This must be because it is pay-day and every man goes to a beer shop. Some take their wives, too, and drink, and sing, and fight. There are places where the bad women come to and rob the men. It must be owing to this that the wives don't like their husbands and run away."

At Balmoral, the Aberdeen Madrigal Choir came in after dinner and sang to the Queen, and her taste in music may to a certain extent be imagined from the following list of songs given: "Nature's Praise," "In This Hour of Softened Splendor," "Ye Banks and Braes," "The Silent Land," "I'm going to My Lonely Bed," "Jack and Jill," "Hail to the Chief," "Break, Break on the Cold Gray Stones," "Woes Me for Prince Charlie," "When Evening Twilight," "Praise of Spring," "Homeward."

THE EX-KHEDIVE SUED.

The ex-Khedive Ismail has not yet returned to London. He was in Paris on Wednesday, and while staying at the Grand Hotel his baggage was seized by Mr. Nicholas Road, his former secretary, who claims there is yet due him a sum of $2,000 for service rendered. Ismail is accompanied on his journeys by his four wives, and Mr. Road forced his way into their apartments with the officer and created great consternation. When his Highness returned to the hotel, he got rid of Mr. Road by sending his present secretary, whose name is Raab, with $2,000 to deposit in court until the case can be tried.

THE MADRID REVOLUTIONISTS.

The following article appeared in the *Imparcial*, a Madrid paper, imploring the Queen Regent to have mercy on the men engaged in the present revolution:

August and illustrious sovereign, continue your reign of peace and prosperity. By the memory of our lamented Alfonso XIII., whose name is honored by your virtues, and by the angelic innocence of your infant son, and of the tender Princess, both of whom we trust may resemble their mother, we beg humbly and respectfully that your Majesty will grant pardon to the criminals of the 19th of September, condemned to death by the councils of war, Sonora. At the royal feet of your Majesty, we remain your dutiful subjects.

[Signed] THE EDITOR AND STAFF OF THE "IMPARCIAL."

The prayer was granted to the extent that Brigadier-General Villacampa and Lieutenant Ejonzales were saved from death, but are sent to prison for life in the Spanish colonies in Africa General Villacampa was a friend and follower of General Prim.

REV. DR. KAVANAGH'S DEATH.

Rev. Dr. J. B. Kavanagh met his death in the Catholic parish south of Kildare on Tuesday morning in a most remarkable manner. He was standing in front of the altar, with his hand on the chalice, ready to raise it at the close of the seven o'clock mass, and was about to descend the altar steps to recite the Rosary and Litany of the Blessed Virgin, when a marble figure of cherubs over the altar fell and struck him on the head. He cried out, "My God!" and fell back. He had presence of mind, however, first to set down the chalice. He was carried on a stretcher to the adjoining convent, where he died in a half hour. The altar was the new marble one that was consecrated a year ago by Archbishops Croke and Walsh. Dr. Kavanagh was one of the most active Nationalists among the Irish clergy, and was the author of the reply to Mr. Gladstone's book on the Vatican decrees some years ago. He was sixty-four years of age.

GENERAL BOULANGER'S ORGAN.

A new military journal called the *Star* appeared in Paris last week. It is announced as the organ of General Boulanger, and on the day of its first issue boys cried out: "Buy the *Star* and read its leading article about General Boulanger. Buy the *Star* for the sake of the portrait of the most active War Minister France has ever had." It is charged that General Boulanger will use the *Star* to pave the way for his candidature for the presidency of the republic, when Grevy should be out of the way. General Boulanger's latest movement is to propose the painting of battle pictures for the barracks of each regiment, commemorative of some hero's action in which that particular regiment has been engaged. These paintings are to be made to order and there are to be 2,500 of them. The idea is that paintings of this kind will educate men to greater personal bravery.

FRANCE AND TURKEY.

It is commented on as a significant fact that when the French Admiral called on the Sultan a few days since he was immediately received and the Sultan sat down to dinner with him, whereas, when the Duke of Edinburgh and his nephew, Prince George, visited Constantinople recently, they were kept waiting four days, because, it was alleged, the Sultan had a boil on his shoulder. Moreover, the Sultan neither sat at table when they dined at his palace, nor has he yet agreed to receive the new British ambassador, Sir William White, nor to appoint a day for saying good-bye to Sir Edward Thornton, although a British Government vessel is waiting to bring him home. These are among the many signs that Russian diplomacy is strongly in the ascendant at Constantinople and that there is a proportionate coolness toward England. It is, perhaps, an unnoticed fact that there are very strong influences at work in Constantinople in behalf of Russia. The wife of the Russian ambassador is an uncommonly brilliant woman, and the wives of both the Prussian and Austrian ambassadors are likewise Russians.

PARIS AS A SEAPORT.

It is seriously proposed to convert Paris into a port capable of receiving sea-going vessels by deepening the bed of the Seine till it will float craft drawing twenty feet. It will take three years to complete the work and it will cost something over $20,000,000. The promoters had an interview with the French Minister of Public Works, this week, and as soon as it is certain concessions in the shape of guarantees from the government can be obtained, the work will proceed, as the capital is already promised in full.

A SUPPRESSED CHAPTER.

The *Nouvelle Revue*, Mme. Adam's journal, is publishing a story by Octave Mirabeau, under the title of "Le Calvaire," but has suppressed the whole of the second chapter, with the following explanatory remark: "To our great regret it is impossible for us to insert the second chapter of M. Mirabeau's story, notwithstanding its great merit, and we refer our readers to the work when it is published in book form. The scenes, pictured in the manner of M. Leon Tolstoi, are of such a poignant nature that we have been seized with a patriotic despair in reading them, and have induced M. Mirabeau to spare our friends, the readers of the *Nouvelle Revue*, the most painful narrative of our disasters which has yet been published.,'

ELECTRIC RAILWAY IN LONDON.

The North Metropolitan Tramway Company of London now runs every Thursday afternoon over its line from Stratford Church to Manor Park an electric locomotive and car, and as soon as the necessary legislative powers can be obtained regular trips will be made and passengers carried. This is the first serious attempt that has been made in London to use electricity as a motive power for cars or tramways. The company is thoroughly satisfied with its experiments and is proceeding with the manufacture of electric locomotives. The speed is about the same as that of the ordinary cars, and the cost of maintenance is about forty per cent lower than on the present tram-car system, the saving effected being estimated at over two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

THE FRENCH DELEGATES TO AMERICA.

The French delegates appointed to be present at the unveiling of the statue of Liberty will sail by the French Line from Havre next Saturday. The Paris correspondent of the London *Times*, M. De Blowitz, in a special dispatch to his paper yesterday, contemptuously refers to the statue as "The lighthouse given by French citizens to New York." M. De Blowitz never loses an opportunity of attacking any thing that is republican.

A MONUMENT TO IZAAK WALTON.

Izaak Walton died just 200 years ago, and it is now proposed to erect a monumen to commemorate him It is to be in the form of a statue and will be set up in Winchester Cathedral. There are 750 fishing clubs in London, and subscriptions have been started among them this week for the purpose.

A BIG FORTUNE.

Prince Antonio Borghese, who died at his villa near Rome, this week, and left a fortune of 60,000,000 francs, was born in Paris in 1814, and married the daughter of the Earl of Shrewsbury in 1836, by whom he had only one child, Princess Agnes. The first wife died, and he then married the daughter of Alexander de La Rochefoncauld, Duc d'Essistac of France, and by her had eight sons and two daughters. His fortune is to be apportioned in equal parts among the descendants of his English and French wives. The Borghese family is one of the largest and most important in Italy.

Victims of the Fallen Repair Shops in South Chicago.

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—Gangs of men were at work all night in searching through the debris of the fallen repair shops in South Chicago, but no other victims were found. The coroner was notified this morning by the Hyde Park police that Anton Smith had succumbed to his injuries, making a total of three fatalities up to the present. A deputy was dispatched to South Chicago to impanel a jury and hold an inquest.

A corrected list of the killed and injured shows: Killed—Edward Divvons, Michael Huffman and Anton Smith. Wounded—Joseph Hartz, badly cut in head and chest; William Bogle, badly hurt internally; Andrew Libinski, dangerously wounded about the back and badly crushed; John Discall, slight cuts and bruises on face and head; Thomas Conley, slight wounds on breast and head, also hurt internally; George Paezekay, hurt on back; Charles Hopnald, right leg crushed.

Capel Denies.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The *Herald's* San Francisco special gives an interview with Mgr. Capel in which he denies the reports of his intimacy with Mme. Vadensen. The *Herald* also publishes the following:

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 9.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.—Many thanks. Your reporter sends my statements. I ask the insertion, over my signature the following: "In the name of American liberty and in the name of the honor due to American women, let the journal that has given publicity to it publish the name of the woman monstrosity capable of and responsible for giving its false and malicious Californian charge against me, or stand convicted of gross falsehood and cowardice.

[Signed] T. J. CAPEL."

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Love's broken chain a link
That bound our hearts while here.

The pleasant smiles, the joyous tone,
We miss her everywhere—
The home is sad, the hearts are lone,
And vacant the dear one's chair.

Alas! the mother who mourns her dead!
What comfort for her here?
The rainbow of sweet Hope is spread
Across her cloudy fear.

Dry thy tears—still the heart mourns,
Nor long ye for the past.
God gives his promise to his own,
And Annie is safe at last.

O. B.

Card of Thanks.

We desire in this public manner to thank those of our friends and all who by acts of kindness testified to their sympathy for us in the illness and death of our beloved daughter. We shall ever hold them in grateful remembrance. We also thank Mr. Murphy for the kindness of the pall-bearers and the chairs; and also Mrs. Clarkson for her kindness, and Miss Kemper for the beautiful flowers.

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"Progress; or What Time Is It, and Where Are We?"

Is the title of a lecture to be delivered at the Christian church on Thursday evening, Oct. 14, by Prof. B. J. Radford, formerly President of Eureka College, now associate editor of the *Christian Standard*, Cincinnati. The Terre Haute *Courier* has the following notice of this lecture:

"PROGRESS.—It had been given out that this would be one of the best lectures ever delivered in Terre Haute, and those who went with that expectation were certainly not disappointed. Prof. Radford is a giant viewed from a standpoint of intellect. Every word contained a jewel, and it seemed that in reasoning the outcome of progress he could speak by inspiration."

This lecture is delivered under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Society of the Christian church, and the price of admission has been fixed at 25 cents.

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The undersigned having been appointed Executors of the estate of Jesse L. Fenton, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that they will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the December term, on the third Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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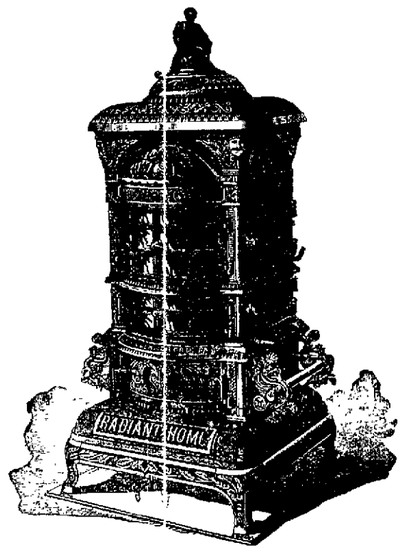

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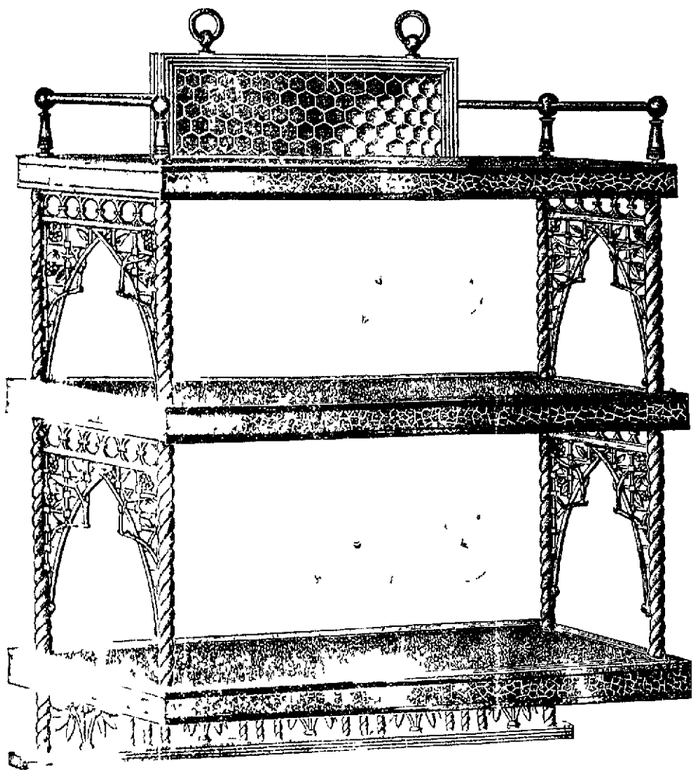

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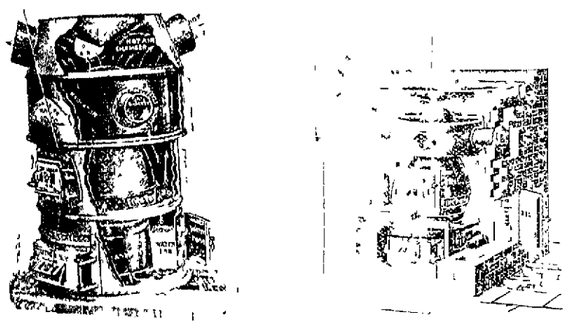

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TUESDAY EVE., OCT 12, 1886

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LOCAL NEWS.

For presents look through the mammoth assortment at E. D. Bartholomew & Co.'s.

Baptist concert to-night.

Did you register to day?

Quail have appeared in the market.

Buy ice of Maffit—Telephone 100.

The farmers have commenced shucking corn.

Busher & Hutchin for School Shoes

The Ellis-Hamilton wedding near Elwin will occur this evening.

The jury in the Blank-Wright case before Curtis this afternoon failed to agree

Variety performance to morrow night at the opera house.

Telephone to Niedermeyer's store, on the Mound, for family groceries.

Kingsley, of Chicago, will furnish the sumptuous spread for the Thomas-Race wedding Thursday night,

Capt Rowell will speak at Blue Mound to night. The voters always turn out to hear him

See J. Lytle & Co, in opera block, for anything you want in the family grocery line

The Kazoo and horn-blowers were out again last night making things lively. It was a lovely moonlight night for the ride and sport.

Patronize Montgomery's family grocery store, North Water street—a good place to get reliable table supplies

Gospel meeting for young men in the rooms of the Y M. C A this evening The delegates returned from the state convention will be present

C T. Wells, of Wheatland, takes the lead as a producer of sweet potatoes, samples of which we have seen. He has a large quantity of the potatoes for sale

Premium flour —White Foam, made by Hatfield & Co, and sold by all leading grocers

The new melo drama, "Bound to Succeed," in four acts, will be presented in Decatur Saturday night It is a spectacular play and it takes a carload of special scenery to put it on the stage in style as it will be done Saturday night.

Call on or telephone to Peter Ullrich for family groceries and Baltimore oysters

The birthday anniversary of Mrs Margaret Stillwagen, at Orsans, was celebrated in great style on Monday by about 100 friends Mr and Mrs C A West hafer Mrs Ishler, Miss Jennie Richardson, Mrs Meister and daughter, Cal Phister and wife, Mollie Miller and Barbara Stillwagen, of this city, were present The large company was served with dinner and supper

Buy parlor sets and other handsome furniture for your home at Dustman & Meyer's store

The state will appeal the case recently decided in the Pekin court, where Christian Zehr, of Lilly, got a judgment of $2100 for horses killed and alleged to have been afflicted with glanders The state has no fund out of which such a judgment could be paid, and the outcome will be interesting

There is a bright prospect that Charley Hershey will get a man to stand up against him in a glove boxing match Rumor has it that a friend of S S McKay will meet Hershey on any date that he may elect The parties may arrange for a public athletic entertainment

Try the famous French Villa Soap, on sale at Lehman & Bolen's grocery store

The will of the late Jesse L Fenton, filed for probate Monday in the county court, bequeaths to the widow, Mary A Fenton all the property owned by the deceased, except three lots and store buildings on North Water street, and half the household furniture, given to H. W Fenton, and 500 acres of land west of Decatur, given to the daughter, Miss Jessie to hold during her natural life The will was signed Nov 8, 1885 The executors are the widow and son, whose bond for $50,000 was approved by Judge Greer

Where Will He Go?

Mr A S Morgan, manager of the old Decatur ball team, contemplates leaving the city during the winter months, for the purpose of devoting his attention to the management of a ball club in some large city like Indianapolis, Toledo, Milwaukee or Chicago He is in correspondence with several parties who wish to profit by his experience and superior judgment in the management of clubs, but he has not yet decided where he will go Wherever he locates that city may rest assured that he will give the admirers of the National game an invincible team that will win by old time hits.

This are presents the greatest boon, Salvation Oil It cures so soon

When Christmas came with its good cheer, its fun, and its merry making, we used to deprecate its colds, but that was long ago, before the days of Dr Bull's Cough Syrup Now it is very different. A new era has dawned on us, and great and small, little and tall, merry men all, are happy

Grand Concert

On Tuesday evening, October 12th, the choir of the First Baptist church, assisted by Prof. Nilson's Orchestra, and Ira Brown, the accomplished performer on the banjo, will appear at the opera house in a grand concert, for the benefit of the church. A well varied programme has been prepared, consisting of sacred, secular and serio comic selections and will be sure to please all who may attend. Tickets 50 cents No extra charge for reserved seats. oct2-ds,m,as

A Case of Alleged Cruelty.

A C. Miller, a traveling live stock and fire insurance agent, who resides near Boody, is in town to-day for the purpose of having a state warrant issued for the arrest of Miss Meyers, teacher of the Pern School, four miles west of Elwin. Last Friday it is alleged Miss Meyers, with a heavy stick, whipped little Eva, the nine-year old daughter of Mr. Miller, drawing the blood from ten different places on her back The child was accused of telling a falsehood, when she was assaulted in the manner described. The penalty is a fine of $50 or imprisonment in the county jail 30 days. Mr. Miller says this case of cruelty has excited much interest, and efforts are now being made to get the district directors, F. H. Coleman, Ed. Hill and Nelson Brown, to discharge the teacher. Miss Meyers' home is at Elwin.

A Burglary.

The paint and supply shop of M. A Meyer & Sons, on East William street, was entered by burglars last night and robbed of brushes, gold leaf, pencils and other articles. Two money drawers were broken open, but there was no cash in either to nip Entrance was effected through the rear door.

Donation.

Rev. A. C. Scott and family depart tomorrow for Lexington. The members of the United Brethren church assembled at the parsonage last night and gave the preacher's family a handsome donation of provisions and useful articles. Rev Hutchinson, the new pastor, will arrive about November 1st.

A lot of bees flew into A. T. Grist's barber shop this morning and swarmed on the bottle pyramid of "Bloom of Roses," whose magnetism they could not resist. There appeared to be a million bees in the shop and Fleet Davis was fearful lest they might cluster about him, not that he is so sweet but because he is so nervous Attempts will be made to smoke out the unwelcome visitors When last seen Davis was trying to find the queen bee to kill her.

The Club

A "Bach Evening" of the Decatur Musical Club was held at the Musical College last night, and proved to be one of the most enjoyable of the regular fortnightly sessions. The members of the club are Misses Maud Burrows, Stella Hadden, Hattie Hitchcock, Clara Irwin, Gertrude Edwards, Belle Ewing, Mrs. Ed B Hillman, Rosa Judson, and Messrs. Oloff Bull, Frank Shull, Bering Burrows, Will and James Roberts, Ed. and Frank Powers, Arthur Alexander and Charles Montgomery

PERSONAL MENTION

S L Hart, of Minneapolis, has arrived to attend the wedding Thursday night

Mr. and Mrs. R E Pratt went to Lincoln to-day

Mrs. J. M. Dodd is seriously ill at the family residence on West Decatur street

Ex Sheriff Jennings, of Long Creek, visited the city to day.

The Misses Douglas have returned to Peoria

Greeley Dunston is in Chicago taking in the sights

Mr and Mrs. Wm Anderson have returned to Litchfield to reside

D M. Berlin, of Orlando, Florida, is in town greeting old friends

Mrs Wm Dodson is enjoying a visit from Mrs S W Champion, of Green Bay, Wis

Will Quinlan has entered Harvard College This is his first year at that famous institution of learning

Hon. A E Stevenson, first assistant postmaster general, is at his home in Bloomington on a three weeks vacation

O F. Spaulding and Ald Muzzy attended the Republican rally at Argenta last night.

Mr and Mrs George Downing and daughters arrived home yesterday from Louisville.

John Arnold, the hive hatter of Bloomington, is in the city to serve the dear public in his line

Miss Nellie Durfee is at Bloomington visiting Miss Laura Briggs, who will give a party this evening in her honor.

Mrs John VanRiper has arrived from Sedalia, Mo, and is visiting her sister Mrs. E W Wood, who lately visited Sedalia

Mrs R. C Hamsher, milliner in Central Block, has gone to Chicago to purchase an entire new stock of stylish goods

Geo W Davidson and Master Sidney Covington left for Chicago at noon to day George goes to Chicago on Davis machine business

Mrs H. B Montgomery will remain in Decatur until next Spring Homer goes to Chicago to-night to enter the Charles Gossage store

Charles W. Handy, of Decatur, and Miss Jennie Goudy will be married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs M A Goudy, at Taylorville on the evening of October 20th.

Mrs. W C Crozier, home from Kansas City on a visit to her parents, Mr and Mrs. R G. Sollars, accompanied by her husband, departed to day for Chicago to attend the Exposition.

Mr and Mrs. I. J. Davis took the train last night for Chicago to visit and for business They will spend some time with Mr and Mrs I E Brown, and Mr D. will visit for the first time the wholesale boot and shoe house of L. L Ferriss & Co, located at corner of 5th Avenue and Quincy streets, of which firm he is a member.

James I Rinehart has returned from Eureka Springs, Arkansas, whither he went in 1883, when his left side was paralyzed He is in improved health, though his head is yet more or less affected at times. Mr Rinehart says Republicans since the late election can now talk back at the Democrats in Arkansas without endangering their lives The Bourbons in that state are said to be bitter against Cleveland and his administration.

The Big Burlesque Bill

The lovers of musical fun and specialty oddities will have a rich feast at the opera house to-morrow night, when the Hall-Bloodgood specialty and burlesque troupe will appear in "Oi-Y-Gin" a semi-dramatic operatic performance in two acts and six scenes, interspersed with specialty acts by the athletic sports, Davenport Bros, the Fostelles, in character songs, Emma Rice, in comic songs, Monte Collins, in curious kinks, Ada Burnette, the original "new coon, Natta Natta, juggler, Matt Flynn and M'lle Zitella, "sketch artists, the only Maggie Cline, grand march of the Silver Gladiators by Lillie Hall, and many other features. Popular prices—25, 50 and 75 cents.

On Sunday Lincoln had three fires, one conflagration destroying the Maloney, Spellman & Co. grain elevator, loss, $8,000, insurance, about $3,500 The two fire companies and water works were taxed to their utmost capacity.

ROWELL AT ARGENTA.

A Rousing Political Rally Last Night—Speeches by Rowell and Others.

Captain J. H. Rowell, Republican nominee for congress in this district, opened the campaign in the county last night at Argenta, where he was greeted by a large and enthusiastic audience of voters. There were a number of ladies present. The chairman of the meeting was Capt T H Barr. Mr. Rowell spoke for an hour and three quarters, delivering sledge-hammer blows at the present administration, and giving logical reasons why the Bourbons should take a back seat. Captain Grason, candidate for representative, A H. Mills, candidate for county judge, also addressed the audience, and Major Dick Steele, candidate for county treasurer, was introduced to the voters from the rostrum The meeting was held in the hall of Fred Spooner Post, G. A. R The rally was a big success To night Captain Rowell will speak at Blue Mound

Reading Club.

The class known as the "Wednesday Morning Club" will resume the readings with Mrs Stevens at the parsonage of Stapp's Chapel on Wednesday, October 13th, at 9 30 a m. The present reading is the "Republic of Plato," considered *not* as a "Social Polity," but as an allegorical representation of the human soul itself Interest in these subjects is the only condition of membership, therefore anyone interested or likely to be in these delightful dialogues will be quite welcome.

Major Steele and the Railway Men

The following is a copy of a letter presented to the *Herald* for publication, and which the proprietors of that paper refused to publish

Decatur, Ill., Oct 9th 1886

Frank H Hall, Esq Publisher *Herald*, Dear Sir

In the *Herald* of Sunday, 10th I was astonished at seeing the false statement therein, in regard to the unpopularity of George H Steele among the R R boys It is always expected when a man becomes a candidate for public office that he is up for a target at which all the arrows of the opposition are directed and all his short comings (cut short) are brought into notice for party purposes This is all right, if it is confined to truth

But I beg leave to correct the mistake that Mr Steele is unpopular among the subordinates who worked under him There never was a greater mistake And I know just what I am talking about when I say I have been intimately acquainted with Mr steele for over ten years, and worked under him in the mail service five years, and can truthfully say that he is one of the best men I ever knew, and one of the most popular men in the mail service, to his subordinate he was always kind, considerate and courteous ever ready to oblige them when opportunity presented I don't write this for party purpose but in justice to an honest man In the statement that he is likely to lose votes on account of his unpopularity there is either great ignorance or untruthfulness manifested, and I would recommend that his accusers post themselves a little in regard to his popularity with the R R boys before they give themselves away so plainly I can give the names of more than twenty who will gladly testify to the above statement, who know and have worked with him As some few are residents of this city I will give their names as reference N Pringle, D Greer W S Hildreth and the names of twenty more if wanted Yours respectfully,

John H Hoy Asst Store Keeper W, St L & P Ry Decatur Ill

A New Structure

The Decatur branch of the Consolidated Tank Line Company is to be a permanent institution Through the local manager, Mr H. C Crosthwait, the company is now engaged in putting up a new two story brick building, 50x100 feet in dimensions, on the site of the old works, on East Cerro Gordo street The old structure is to be torn away. The tanks will be sunk three feet in the ground, thus furnishing absolute safety to the new building and all adjacent property. There will be three tanks, each with a capacity of holding 500 to 800 barrels of oil. The office of the company will also be enlarged. The business of the company has been so well conducted by Manager Crosthwait, and Decatur is such an excellent distributing point, that the company feels that it is money well invested to put up such a substantial and creditable structure

The Ladies Delighted

There is a general hub bub and heap o' talk among the Decatur ladies since the arrival of that magnificent line of stylish millinery goods direct from New York at Mrs K Einstein's store on North Water street, near Millikin & Co's bank The reporter found many callers there this morning The ladies seemed greatly pleased with the charming selections, all fresh and beautiful and most attractively displayed, the tasteful trimming of hats by Miss McCoy being one of the chief features of the informal opening Those ladies who have not called should do so at once. New goods and novelties received nearly every day, and prompt attention given to all orders for stylish trimming

Struck Coal

The Chicago Diamond Drill Company struck a vein of coal 42 inches thick at Clinton on Sunday morning at a depth of between 500 and 600 feet The thickness of the vein was not sufficient to justify working it, and the company continued boring Two attempts made before to find coal by this same company proved ineffectual, but in both instances the failure was due to the pipes and machinery getting out of order

DIED.

In Whitmore township on October 12 at 12 40 a. m of consumption, William McConnell, aged 28 years

The deceased was single and a farmer, son of Mrs Sarah McConnell a widow

Of cholera infantum at the home of the parents on North Monroe street on Monday October 11 1886 Elmer infant son of Mr and Mrs William Reynolds, aged 11 months

The remains were taken to Lidopolis to-day for interment

The Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Commission Merchant, this city

Wheat—70¼ Oct, 71⅞ Nov., 73¾ Dec, 80¼ Jan.

Corn—33⅝ Oct, 34⅞ Nov, 35⅞ Dec, 40 Jan.

Oats—23¾ Oct, 24⅝ Nov, 25⅞ Dec 29⅞ Jan

Pork—$8 00 Oct, $9 02 Nov, $—— Dec, $10 02 Jan.

Lard—$5 60 Oct, $5 72 Nov, —Dec, $5 95 Jan

Ribs—$6 70 Oct, $—— Nov, $——Dec, $5.10 Jan

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs, 4,500, official yesterday, 7,909, shipments, 8,817, left over from yesterday, about 3,500, prices-mixed, $3 80@$4.05, heavy $4 70@4 20, packing, $4 25@$4.80, Cattle, 6,600, fairly active.

Car Lots—Winter wheat 26, spring 221, corn 596, oats 212, rye 4, barley 189

P W Donahue, the genteel dispense of fermenti is now with W. H Carroll at No. 547 Front street, where he will be glad to receive his old friends as usual 7-d15

Busher & Hutchin for School Shoes

THE 11TH Y M C A STATE CONVENTION

The 14th Annual State Convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Illinois was held at Rockford October 7th to 10th, and was one of the largest and most interesting conventions ever held About 25 delegates and corresponding members were in attendance Forty four associations were represented as against ——— last year This shows unusual interest, as Rockford is in the extreme northern part of the state

Among the prominent workers present were L D Wishard International College Secretary W B Lewis State Sec y of Wisconsin Messrs I E Brown E E Brown and W B Levings our own State Secretaries J H Ellis our Gen'l Sec'y, Minneapolis C H Yatman, Gen'l Sec'y Newark N J and about fifteen members of our State Executive Committee Messrs Richard Drum H P Page Frank L Johnson and General Sec'y Mann were present from Decatur

The sessions of the convention were marked by good attendance and able papers with lively discussion on important topics among which were The Employment Bureau The Gymnasium vs the Saloon and the Gambling Hells The Junior Department Historic Attitude of the Association toward Moral Reforms Evangelistic Meetings for Young Men Business Management, with the annual reports of State Ex Com and each of the state secretaries and treasurer

The special features of the convention were three addresses of the Workers Training Class led by J H Elliott three sessions of Meetings for Young Men only from 9 to 10 p m conducted by C H Yatman A reception at Hamilton Hall to the R R delegates by Mr and Mrs H A Morse was attended by about 75 A reception and dinner to the College delegates by Mrs A D Forbes, was attended by —— A reception and grand supper to the District committees and workers by the ladies of the Rockford Woman's Auxiliary in the parlor of the First Congregational church, was attended by 86 A reception and dinner to the Association Band of Residents and finance committee by Mr and Mrs Price 15 attended and a general reception and tea to all delegates by the Y W C A ladies of Rockford Seminary, at which there were 200

The above receptions were duly appreciated by the delegates who were so royally entertained in the homes of Rockford people,

The annual address was delivered by Rev M Woolsey Stryker pastor of the Fourth Presbyterian church, Chicago His subject was Purpose and Power, and was an able effort.

The permanent organization was effected by the election of the following officers of the convention

President—D A Knowles, Freeport

First Vice President—E R Drake, Galesburg

Second Vice President—C H C Burlingame Rockford

Secretary—N W Woodford Moline

1st Assistant Sec'y—Frank Jeffrey Galesburg

2d Assistant Sec'y—E C Carroll, Elgin

The male chorus was a success under the leadership of I I Jacobs, of Joliet

The stereoptican views of the principal buildings in the country was a success and packed out a crowded house on Tuesday evening The proposed plan of the Rockford building was shown and received with applause A lady in Rockford has donated a lot for the building and 29 men have paid cash down $6 000 to purchase the adjoining lot which has been done

Quincy Rock Island (and may we say Decatur) want the convention next year It was left to the executive committee to decide time and place We believe Decatur can get it if she desires it as it must come to the central part of the state

Our workers filled almost every pulpit in the city on Sabbath and the people of Rockford were generally more fully informed about the work

Three thousand three hundred and sixty five of the $4 500 asked for by the executive committee for the coming year was promptly pledged on Saturday forenoon

The state and association reports show progress along the lines of work in all department, and the workers are enthusiastic for the coming year

Shall we have the convention at Decatur next year? W E Mann

Ask your grocer for White Loaf and Daily Bread family flour

Captain Rowell will speak at four night meetings in Logan county, the dates being as follows At Elkhart Wednesday evening, October 20, at Mt Pulaski Thursday evening, October 21, at Lincoln Friday evening, October 22, and at Atlanta Saturday evening, October 23

Select fresh eggs, good apples and reliable groceries at Hanks & Patterson's store, 143 South Water street.

L H Mont, who has been Al Morgan's right hand man, is soon to leave the city His wife is ill and she will be removed to Pittsfield, Ill Mr Mont thinks of going south to spend the winter

Fresh bulk oysters every day at Wood Bros oct7d2w

Hear the concert on the 14th inst at the opera house Reserved seats can be had at *Prescott's Music Store* 6 dtd

Prescott keeps always on hand a complete stock of Pianos and Organs, from which an instrument may be selected to suit the most critical

Grand Ball

The seventh annual ball of Cigar Makers' Union No 20 will be given at Guards Armory, Wednesday evening, Oct 27. New music by the Opera Orchestra, and refreshments at the restaurant. Tickets, $1 00 each, to be had from members of the Union Grand march promptly at 9 o'clock. 11-dtd

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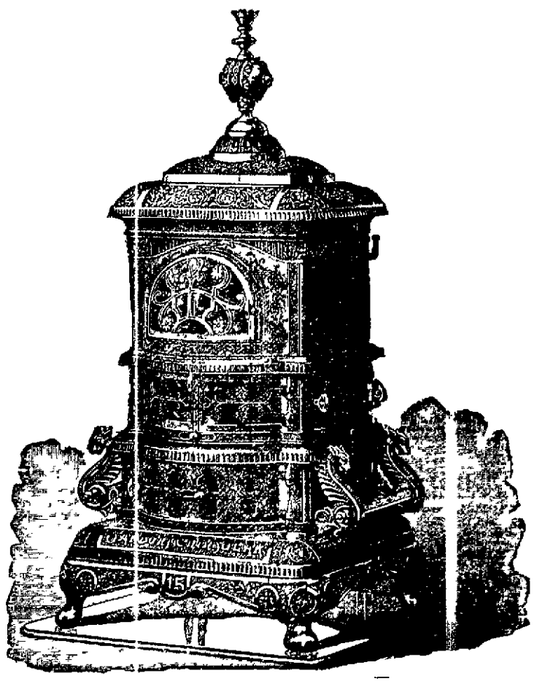

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Sept 29 d&wtm

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WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

LOST—About 10 a. m. on Monday, Oct. 11, somewhere on East Wood st., a suit of ladies' underwear, done up in a newspaper. The finder will please return it to the *Republican* & Scruggs, and receive suitable reward. 11-d6*

FOR RENT—House of 4 rooms and kitchen, on Maryland st. Inquire at Franklin House on East Cerro Gordo st. 9-d6* ED. FROST.

WANTED A good girl to do work in a small family. Apply at No. 755 Cemetery street. 9-d6*

FOR RENT—331 West Cerro Gordo st., for rent on reasonable terms. Five rooms, well, cistern, and barn for five horses, all in good repair. Enquire of E. B. Pratt, 537 North Church st., Decatur, Ills. d6*

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TAKEN UP—At the Barber farm, four miles west of Decatur, a bay mare, 14 hands high, white spot on left shoulder, 11 years old. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses. V. BARBER
oct6-d6w1*

WANTED to take my invalid mother south for the winter months, I will rent 40 acres and part of my house, which is in Decatur School district. LAURA ALLEN.
oct1-d6w1*

FOR RENT—House of two rooms, and good shed; well and cistern handy. Apply at 848 East John street. sept29-d1f

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sept16-d1f JNO. W. LYON.

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July 15 d2w1f

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July 2-d1f

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June2-d1f

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AROUND THE STAGE DOOR.

MEN WHO HAUNT IT AND GIRLS WHO PASS THROUGH IT.

Nonsense Concerning "Green Rooms." The Greenest Thing About Them Is the Reader who Believes the Yarns—Mashers who Lie in Wait and Lie Otherwise.

[CHICAGO SUNDAY TRIBUNE.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—There is a vast amount of nonsense written about the "green rooms" of theatres, and it seems to be a generally accepted notion that orgies of the wildest description are nightly held in these mysterious, verdant-hued apartments. Especially in theatres where amazonian maidens and scant drapery are seen, are the "green rooms" supposed to be the favorite lounging place of the gilded youth about town who flirts with the ballet girls, opens dozens of champagne between the acts, and plans the destruction of the virtuous and hard working young coryphee who supports her widowed mother and eleven small brothers and sisters by toiling nightly on her toes at $11 a week. This sort of stuff makes excellent padding for the sensational correspondent, and furnishes subjects for effective illustrations. The only trouble is that it is not true. The "green room," as it does exist, is a stuffy little apartment, furnished with a number of cheap chairs and a large mirror, and is used by the "walking ladies and gentlemen" as a waiting room, when their services are not required on the stage. The star goes to his or her dressing room or stands in the wings, according to the length of the part. The beautiful amazons, fairies and other creatures of tights and tulle are marched off to the big dressing room assigned to them with military precision. The green room fun is a wild figment of the hard imagination of the space writer. An outsider rarely crosses its uninviting threshold, and about the greenest thing in the whole connection is the reader who swallows the yarns.

AN ACTRESS IN HER DRESSING ROOM.

The gilded youth referred to, or, as they are known in stage parlance, "the mashers," never by any chance get further than the stage door. Here they are met by a grim and surly Cerberus in the shape of the stage door-keeper, who, however willing he may be to accept tips for delivering notes to people on the stage, knows that it would be as much as his position would be worth to allow one of the "mashers" to penetrate beyond the outside portal. Occasionally a favored newspaper man, with a strong influence and a very reasonable excuse, is taken by the manager behind the scenes, and his illusions, if he had any, are speedily destroyed. Notwithstanding the impression to the contrary, the average actress is much more charming on the street than on the stage. The paint and powder which is rendered necessary by the vivid glare of the footlights and the dazzling intensity of the calcium, even on the most beautiful complexions, is simply hideous when viewed at close quarters in the pale yellow glimmer of the gas behind the scenes. The costumes do not look nearly as rich, and the sparkling jewels are but simple paste. The fairies' silken tights are sadly soiled, and their gold lace is seen to be tarnished on close inspection. The "divinities of the footlights" are huddled into corners out of the way of the hurrying stage carpenters and scene shifters.

The stage manager is cross and frequently swears, and the average chorus girl, who is but human, and has been brought up in a base school, not infrequently follows his example. When a stranger makes his appearance he is "guyed" unmercifully. Altogether, is hind the scenes is not the delightful place which we read about in the letters of men who have never been there.

MASHERS AT THE STAGE DOOR.

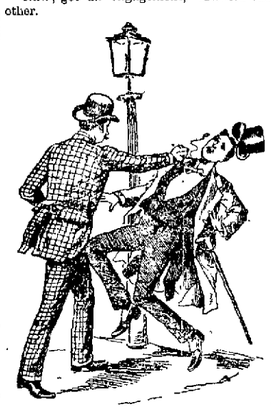
But at the stage door there is quite a different state of things. The stage door is generally on a side street and is always dark and dingy. The curtain falls on the last tableau. The musicians put up their instruments and adjourn to the nearest beer saloon. The fairies and amazons scurry to their dressing rooms; the lights are put out in the auditorium, the front doors are closed and to all appearances the theatre is deserted, but a devoted little band is gathered around the stage door. These are the inevitable hangers-on who don't know my lady on the stage, but who are consumed with a wild desire to make the acquaintance of a live actress. For some unexplained reason these hopeless ones are generally shabby in appearance. There are the young dudes, gorgeous in evening dress, who are honored with the acquaintance of some young woman in the chorus and who stands about the stage door, not so much to meet the girl as to show the world that they really do know some one in the theatrical profession. Very often the fairy or amazon they are waiting for simply honors them with a nod and hurries off to keep an engagement with some other man, but the dude is happy all the same, he has been recognized. Then there are the husbands of the members of the company and the omnipresent small boy. It is easy in the motley assemblage to pick out the men who are their legitimate business husbands or friends. The knowing ones, the gay roue, the man who has an intrigue on hand, does not haunt the stage door—not unless he is very green—he walks carelessly up and down the opposite side of the street, or waits in a cab around the corner.

And out of the stage door comes an equally varied procession. The leading lady steps into her coupe or walks down the street on the arm of her husband, or of the man who is for the time being officiating in that capacity. The male members of the company stroll off in twos or threes, and the chorus, the gorgeous amazons and fairies of the footlights appear, now shorn of their glory and clad, some modestly as becomes young girls making $15 a week and some gorgeously, suggesting an outside source of income. These are the objects of admiration of the stage door mashers. And it is not strange that young girls, who have to work hard, for life in the chorus is one of the most wearing employments possible for a girl to go into, are tempted by the prospect of a jolly supper and an hour's fun where they can pour the tale of their troubles into sympathetic ears, and, too, there is always the possibility of securing a financial "backer." For there is not a girl in the chorus who is not perfectly certain that she is destined to shine as a star. All she needs is influence and a little money to start her. To tell the truth the backer rarely materializes, but the girl wears better clothes and sometimes leaves her fourth-story hall bedroom for a comfortable flat. Sometimes she gets married, sometimes she commits suicide, sometimes she goes nobody knows where, she always disappears, and her place is taken on the stage and at the restaurant table by others as fair, as frail and as foolish as herself.

Stage door romances we have in abundance. They are but countless variations of the sickening tale of man's inhumanity to woman. Yet on the whole these stories are generally overdrawn. There are hundreds of young women, occupying subordinate positions on the stage, who are as correct in their lives, as modest in their demeanor off the stage, as good daughters and as faithful wives as their more fortunate sisters who occupy the boxes and look with affected horror upon their abundant display of figure. Immorality does not always array itself in tights by any manner of means. It is the "fast" ones who bring themselves into notoriety, that is all. Stories of their escapades are the talk of the town for a few weeks, and the whole profession is judged in the public mind by these by no means fair samples, and the stories told by the hangers-on about the stage door go to swell the mass of untruthful gossip. The dude who waits patiently at the stage door for a glimpse of the object of his admiration, and whose devotion is only rewarded by a cold nod of recognition, does not tell the story of the way in which he was "left" at his club or over his glass of lemon and vichy at the bar. If he is rallied on his amour in a half-envious way by his fellow dudes, he has a fully developed and wholly imaginary story to substantiate his reputation as a *Don Juan*, or, what is often worse, he is silent and winks. A wink will do more to destroy a girl's good name than the most ingeniously concocted lie. Once in a while one of these fellows comes to grief. A friend of mine, who has a pretty wife on the stage, was sitting with me in the theatre not long since, when the conversation of a couple of young sprigs directly behind us attracted our attention.

"Shall we go billiards after the theatre?" queried one.

"Naw, got an engagement," drawled the other.



ONE THAT "KNEW" AN ACTRESS.

"Miss ——" mentioning the stage name of my friend's wife.

"Yaas; jolly girl; doosid expensive, though," replied the second, with a blase air.

Now, it needed no assertion on the part of my friend to assure me that the young cub did not know his pretty wife, but it filled me with riotous joy to see the cub dragged up and down the gutter in front of the stage door about half an hour later by my friend, the husband, who is a muscular young Englishman. I have heard similar gossip dozens of times when no husband or brother was by to interfere. In an experience of seven years among theatrical people, I have become convinced that a full half of the talked of immorality of the stage exists only in the gossiping mouths of the public, and three quarters of that gossip originates with the creatures who infest the stage door. They are a nuisance, and seemingly an unavoidable one, but a large, full jeweled golden crown awaits the manager who will make some active move for their extermination.

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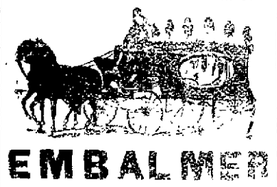

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